

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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	11/18/2003	C. Jay Wack	STSPT28	

Invention	Examiner	Art Unit
Cryptographic Information and Flow Control		

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to substantive examination, please amend the above-referenced application  
as follows: